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Daily Diary, O/RR, 20 April 1951 (AD/RR information unless otherwise stated)

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AD/RR: [] consulted with Mr. Mikesell of the Paley Committee and Mr. Ames of the Federal Reserve Board on the long-run Soviet materials position. (See D/M below) (2 hours) (19 April)

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ACTION: To DCI Diary

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Spec. Assts. [] Request that ALL ANALYSTS be reminded and INVITED to attend the [] TALK ON GERMANY today, Room 2519 N, at 1:00 hours.

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ACTION: All Divisions

D/M:

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[] attended meeting at Federal Reserve to discuss kind of ASSISTANCE THAT MAY BE GIVEN THE PRESIDENT'S COMMITTEE ON STRATEGIC MATERIALS (PALEY COMMITTEE) RE RELATIVE POSITION IN 1975 OF FREE WORLD AND SOVIET BLOC ON AVAILABILITY AND REQUIREMENTS OF STRATEGIC MATERIALS. Agreed that selection of commodities would be discussed next week and representative of Bureau of Mines invited to attend. Likely that O/RR's contribution will be advisory. (2 hours) (19 April)

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[] furnished information to [] of O/SI on AMOUNT OF RESERVES AND ANALYSES OF ORES OF MAGNETIC-QUARTZITE DEPOSITS IN KURSK ANOMALY. (1/2 hour) (19 April)

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[] talked with Col. Worcester of the MUNITIONS BOARD PETROLEUM COMMITTEE regarding the DEVELOPMENTS IN IRAN. The informal view of some of the organizations interested in world supply of petroleum is that existing refining capacity is not adequate to absorb the loss of the huge facilities at Abadan even if transportation facilities were adequate to move the Middle Eastern crude to the refining location. (1 hour) (19 April)

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[] also discussed with [] of O/NE the time required to put the ABADAN REFINERY back in operation after shut-down. (10 minutes) (19 April)

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[] discussed with [] of D/R and Mr. [] of Graphics Register the presentation of DATA OF WORLD OIL SUPPLY BY MAJOR AREAS and provided an additional breakdown on the Middle East. (30 minutes) (19 April)

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D/G:

chairmanned the first meeting of TASK FORCE # 3 at which allocation of Divisional responsibilities for developing the details of a working outline were made. The next meeting of Task Force # 3 will be at 1400 hours, 23 April 1951. (1-1/2 hours) (19 April)

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As an indication of increasing service to O/SO and O/PC operations, D/G prepared for reproduction and delivered over 650 copies of 100 selected large-scale foreign maps during this week, several of which are already enroute to the field by plane.

Balance of O/RR - Negative



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